reporting agency to impose a fee not to exceed a certain amount for certain reports; requiring a consumer reporting agency to make certain disclosures about certain investigations and findings; expanding the group of persons to whom a consumer reporting agency must furnish certain information that is in dispute; altering the provisions relating to certain duties of users of consumer reports; requiring certain users of consumer reports to provide certain notices to consumers within a certain period of time; providing for the contents of the notice; requiring certain-users of information other than a consumer reporting agency to disclose certain information to a consumer within a certain period of time; requiring certain persons to provide certain notices to a consumer before extending credit to the consumer; requiring certain persons making certain reports to a consumer reporting agency to notify the consumer in a certain manner; requiring certain persons to follow certain procedures in reporting information about a consumer to a consumer reporting agency; prohibiting the disclosure of certain information to a consumer reporting agency; making certain persons who furnish certain information to a consumer reporting agency liable for certain acts; requiring the Commissioner of Consumer Credit of the Department of Licensing and Regulation to adopt certain regulations; requiring the regulations to include certain procedures; limiting the liability of certain persons based upon failure to comply with certain requirements if certain actions are taken; making certain stylistic changes; and generally relating to the regulation of consumer reporting agencies.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Commercial Law

Section 14–1201 through 14–1209, inclusive, and 14–1212 through 14–1218, inclusive 14–1212, 14–1213, 14–1215, 14–1216, 14–1217, and 14–1218

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BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Commercial Law

Section 14-1210 and 14-1211, 14-1211, 14-1214, and 14-1217 and 14-1214

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BY adding to

Article Commercial Law

Section 14 1213

Annotated Code of Maryland

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: